

Constable Seeks Mrs. Julius Katuni at Homestead Today.

F. KEARNS, WEST SIDE YOUTH

is said to be With Woman Who is Also Accused of Taking \$700 in Cash Along With Her—Husband is Still in Connellsville.

Constable William Holland is in Homestead today in search of Mrs. Julius Katuni, a former restaurant keeper of this town, who is alleged to have fled with a mere boy, and taking \$700 in cash along with her. The woman, who is alleged to have fled with a mere boy, and taking \$700 in cash along with her, is alleged to have fled with a mere boy, and taking \$700 in cash along with her.

The woman's friends claim that the \$700 which she took with her was her own money. At noon today the Homestead police officer, who is alleged to have fled with a mere boy, and taking \$700 in cash along with her, is alleged to have fled with a mere boy, and taking \$700 in cash along with her.

A telephone message from Homestead at 1 o'clock this afternoon stated that Constable Holland, who is alleged to have fled with a mere boy, and taking \$700 in cash along with her, is alleged to have fled with a mere boy, and taking \$700 in cash along with her.

A United Press telegram from Pittsburgh this afternoon, says: "Alleged to have fled with a mere boy, and taking \$700 in cash along with her, is alleged to have fled with a mere boy, and taking \$700 in cash along with her."

The arrests were made by Constable William Holland of Connellsville and Chief Hugh and an officer of the Homestead police force.

Bail is Furnished for Badger Woman

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—(Special.)—A woman who is alleged to have fled with a mere boy, and taking \$700 in cash along with her, is alleged to have fled with a mere boy, and taking \$700 in cash along with her.

West Virginia Census Figures. WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—(Special.)—The census bureau today announced the population of the following towns in West Virginia: Charleston, 22,292; Parkersburg, 17,821; Martinsburg, 10,624; Parkersburg, 9,711; Wheeling, 11,188.

IN Years in Prison. WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—(Special.)—"Big Bill" Kettner, indicted with George W. Coleman, in misappropriating the funds of the National City Bank of Cambridge was today sentenced to 18 years in the Charles Town State prison.

SURPRISE FOR THEIR FRIENDS IN WEDDING ANNOUNCED TODAY

Dr. J. D. Jackson, Prominent Physician, and Miss Maude Mac Reese Were Married Today.

The marriage of Dr. J. D. Jackson, prominent local physician, and Miss Maude Mac Reese, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clark G. Reese, of East Main street, who solemnized today, the 20th of the marriage, was celebrated today at noon by the bride's mother, Mrs. Jackson, at her home, 1010 East Main street. The ceremony was a surprise to the friends of the couple, who were invited to a reception at the home of the bride's mother.

Propose Law for Third Class City

United Press Telegram. HARRISBURG, Dec. 20.—At the opening session today of the convention of the League of Third Class Cities in Harrisburg, Pa., the committee on legislation reported in favor of introducing a bill to amend the act relating to the classification of cities. The bill would provide for the classification of cities into three classes, based on population.

Two Workmen Have Legs Broken

Two employees of the Western Maryland Railway Company were injured today when a train derailed near the town of Snyder. The injured men, who were working on the tracks, had their legs broken when the train derailed.

Snydertown Will Have More Streets

Chairman N. P. Hay of the Street Committee of Snydertown, Pa., today announced that the town council had approved a plan to widen and pave the main streets of the town. The plan also provided for the construction of new streets.

RETURN OF LIBERALS. NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—(Special.)—The body of the eleventh victim of yesterday's explosion at the New York City Police Department, who was killed when a bomb exploded in a rooming house, was today returned to the family.

Contract for New Battleship. WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—(Special.)—A report today received from the Navy Department stated that the contract for the construction of the new battleship, the USS Texas, had been awarded to the Bethlehem Steel Company.

Three Men Were Shot Today In Fight at Osborne Mine.

SHOOTING at Osborne mine, near the town of Osborne, Pa., today resulted in the death of three men. The shooting occurred during a fight between two groups of men who were working on the mine.

CHENNAI, Dec. 20.—(Special.)—A report today received from the British Consulate in Chennai stated that the British government had decided to send a large number of troops to the city to maintain order.

THE PLAYGROUND MOVEMENT GROWS.

Believed Active Steps Will Be Taken in the Next Few Days

TOWARDS AN ORGANIZATION

Chamber of Commerce and Physicians Are Both in Favor of the Movement and Only Thing Lacking is Needed Funds.

It is said that steps will be taken in a short time looking towards the organization of a playground association for the purpose of equipping a public playground by the time spring opens. The Chamber of Commerce and the Young Men's Christian Association have both taken the matter up in an informal way and it is unlikely that there will be any delay in the matter.

The question of raising funds for the playground is the most important and this will be given consideration. The ground under the bridge leading to the East Park Addition is available and will probably be used. It is proposed to dig a canal to make a swimming pool in summer and skate pond in winter. Baseball diamonds, tennis courts and other equipment will be taken up at the same time.

Depositions in Schenk Case

United Press Telegram. PITTSBURGH, Dec. 20.—Important depositions in connection with the case of John Schenk, who is alleged to have fled with a mere boy, and taking \$700 in cash along with her, are being taken today.

Framing New Japanese Treaty

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—(Special.)—A report today received from the State Department stated that the government was framing a new treaty with Japan, which would provide for the withdrawal of Japanese troops from China.

Aged Mountaineer Accumulates Jag

Tom Jones, 77 years of age, came down from the mountains of Spruce Knob today to the town of Spruce Knob, Pa., where he has accumulated a large number of jagged rocks.

Knapp is Confirmed.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—(Special.)—A report today received from the State Department stated that the government was confirming the appointment of Knapp as a special agent.

CHOKES ON AN ONION; SECOND COOK NEARLY DIES.

Three Physicians Worked Nearly Two Hours on Bessie Gishwick at the Arlington Last Night.

Choking on a piece of onion which had been dipped in vinegar, Bessie Gishwick, second cook at the Arlington Hotel, threw a scare into the others about the kitchen and for a time was in a very serious condition. The three physicians who worked on her for nearly two hours, were Dr. H. T. White, Dr. H. T. White, and Dr. H. T. White.

THE INSTITUTE IN FULL SWING.

Attendance of Teachers Fine at the Daily Sessions

From the Connellsville Schools Cuts Attendance Down Some, Though a Number of Them Are Visitors at Uniontown Today.

Special to The Courier. PITTSBURGH, Dec. 20.—Senator George T. Oliver was endorsed yesterday by the caucus of Allegheny county members of the Legislature for election by the General Assembly to the long term as United States Senator. The caucus was held at the Hotel Duquesne.

Mormon Elders Had a Revelation

UNITED PRESS TELEGRAM. NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—That the elders of the Mormon church positively promised among themselves to abstain from plural marriages following the intervention of President Woodrow Wilson, is a statement of former United States Senator Frank J. Cannon, who is a member of the church.

Chicken Pox and Measles Reported

Two cases of measles and one of chicken pox have been reported to the Board of Health. The cases of measles were reported from the town of Spruce Knob, Pa., and the case of chicken pox was reported from the town of Spruce Knob, Pa.

WHITE GIRL TALKS

OF Relations With Negro Who Threatened Her for a Year. MONROEVILLE, Pa., Dec. 20.—Breaking down under the questioning of the magistrate, yesterday morning, Miss Grace, a 16-year-old white girl, who was last week brought from Nelsonville, O., with William Barrett, a colored man of 22, who is charged with the rape of the girl, told the whole story of her alleged relations with the negro.

Steel Plant to Be Sold.

SHARON, Pa., Dec. 20.—(Special.)—The rolling mill of the Sharon Iron & Steel Company at Wheatland, representing an investment of about \$500,000, will be sold at auction next Wednesday, and it is said a number of prospective purchasers are expected to be present.

"TURKEY" MORRIS HEADED FOR JAIL.

Waives Hearing Before Squire W. P. Clark Last Evening.

AFTER MORE STOLEN PELT

Star Chicken Raider is Expected to Turn Up Missing Automobile Accessories—Story of His Exploits Would Fill a Volume.

Could "Turkey" Morris cover his tracks as well as he effects an entrance into a house here, he would probably go down in the criminal history of this part of the State as one of the greatest of porch climbers, section and story men and poultry-coop raiders. Last evening Morris, charged with the theft of a chicken, was headed for jail.

Morris has spent most of his spare time in the lockup here, relating his various exploits in the piffling line. With great gusto he told of selling a chicken to Mrs. H. T. White for 25 cents and then stealing five chickens from the Morris coop. It was an old trick of Morris to sell a chicken or turkey and then steal it. His greatest coup was earned when he stole a turkey from the Kelly House some years ago, sold it to the proprietor of the hotel, and then stole it back and turned the trick four times in succession with the same turkey. It was there he was caught.

The local police have not yet found a man who could get away with such a trick in the finished manner that Morris has done. But he said it back and turned the trick four times in succession with the same turkey. It was there he was caught.

Chief Engineer Acker Goes South

W. A. Acker, chief engineer of the West Penn at its big power house here, has resigned his position to take effect January 1 and will leave Connellsville to accept the position of chief engineer of a trolley and electric lighting company in New York City.

Teamster Killed in Chicago Strike

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—John Donnelly, 25, a teamster in the employ of a local garment manufacturer, was shot and killed, supposedly by strikers, while at work here today.

Red Cross Seals are Selling Fast

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—(Special.)—The American Red Cross announced today that to last Saturday night nearly 50,000,000 Red Cross Christmas seals had been sold. The actual number sold to date is 50,000,000 in excess of the sale for 1909 and the society expects this year's record will exceed the 50,000,000 mark.

AVIATOR FALLS.

Distance of Fifty Feet and is Fatally Injured. CHATTAHOOCHEE, Dec. 20.—(Special.)—Aviator John White attempting today the series of flights required by the Aero Club of America to qualify for a license fell a distance of 50 feet. He was fatally injured and his aeroplane was completely wrecked.

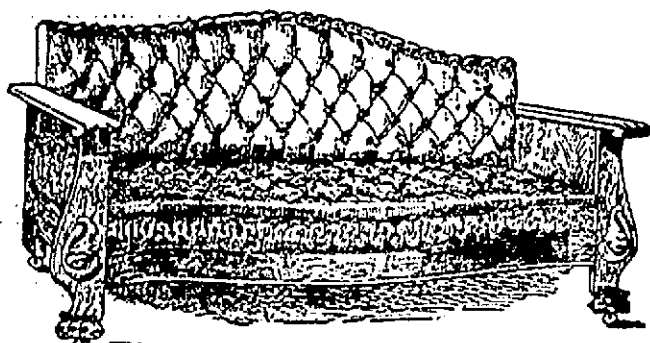


"Merry Christmas to Wifey!" "Merry Christmas to Hubby!" "MERRY CHRISTMAS TO EVERYBODY!"



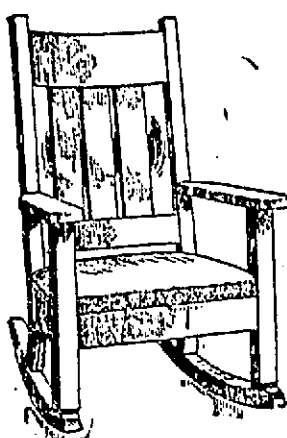
No matter what person you wish to delight with a gift which not only conveys the Christmas sentiment but is thoroughly practical and useful, you will find the very thing in almost any of the various departments of this Christmas store. Come in and look around. Examine the price tickets--everything is marked in plain figures. See what would be best for grandmother, grandfather, father, mother, sister, brother, son, daughter, aunt, uncle, cousin or sweetheart. Fully have the pleasure of giving something selected from our exclusive stocks is derived from the satisfaction of saying:--"I GOT IT AT THE AARON STORE!"

This Moroccoline Leather Sofa Bed, Special \$21.75.



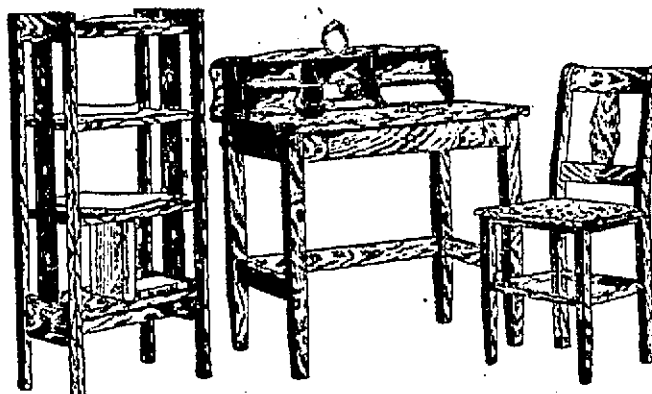
This is a remarkable Bed Davenport for the price. These are the first of the kind to be shown in this city. It is the best made, best looking, best wearing Bed Davenport that we have ever sold at the price. It is upholstered in the very best quality moroccoline leather, diamond tufted. It has serpentine back and front. The front is prettily ruffled. The frame is made of oak. The arms are very massive and the front columns are richly carved. The feet are heavily clawed. This davenport takes the place of a large double bed and saves the expense of furnishing a spare room.

Mission Rockers



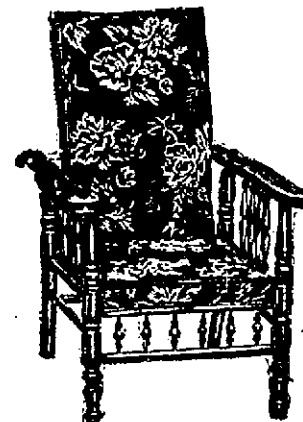
of every description. We are the exclusive agents for LAMBERT'S Arts and Crafts Furniture which have the proper styles and quality. Every rocker guaranteed for 10 years. Prices

This Three-Piece Mission Library Set \$8.75



This \$15.00. Three-Piece Mission Library Set, consisting of Writing Desk, Chair and Magazine Rack, genuine Oak, early English. Special price \$8.75.

SPECIAL 95c.



Child's Morris Chair on Sale During the Entire Week.

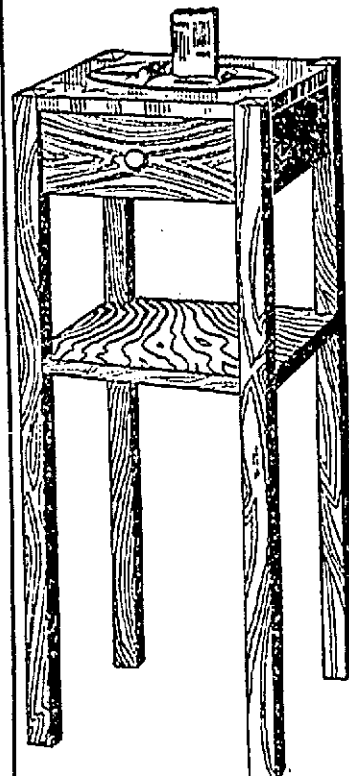
Have you a little boy or girl--four, five, six, seven or eight years of age? This is just the thing. It is strong and durable and the cushions are of green velvet. The regular price is \$2.00. Special during the week

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YOU CREDIT IS AS GOOD AS GOLD AT AARON'S.



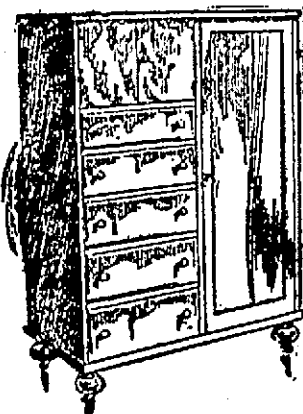
Smoker's Stand.



On sale until they are all sold. They are in genuine oak, finished Early English. They contain a large roomy drawer for cigars; has a brass ash tray and match holder. The regular value of these stands is \$2.75. Special until Christmas

\$1.58

Genuine Quartered Oak Bachelor's Wardrobe, Special \$22.75.

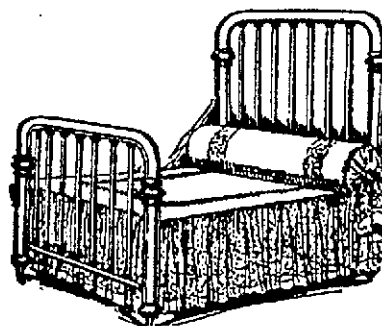


This beautiful Bachelor Wardrobe will make a very useful and appreciative gift for husband, father or brother, and will often save him the expense of having his suit cleaned and pressed. It is very handily arranged, having a large wardrobe with sliding coat and trouser rack that will accommodate suits of clothes. To the left there is a large hat box and five large deep drawers for shirts, collars, ties, underwear and everything a man wants at his finger ends. They are made in beautiful Golden Oak, and are strictly dust-proof.

See our big selection of all styles and prices.

\$5 to \$35

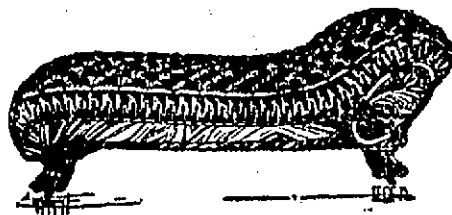
Goods Selected Now Will Be Held for Christmas Delivery If So Desired.



This 2-inch Continuous Post Brass Bed has twelve fillers all braced with hushes; very best lacquering; and is guaranteed in every way. Special during the Holidays, \$14.75.

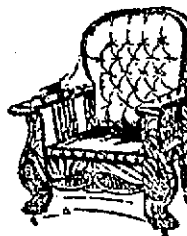
\$14.75--This Artistic All Brass Bed--\$14.75

This Moroccoline Leather Couch, Special \$12.75.



This beautiful Moroccoline Leather Couch is made for service as well as an artistic piece of furniture. The frame is made of solid oak, handsomely carved and finished Golden Oak. The upholstery is the nearest approach to genuine leather, and will give excellent service. The long oil-tempered springs are all hand tied and make this a very comfortable couch.

Moroccoline Leather Morris Chair, \$10.00.



This Comfort Morris Chair is a gift worth giving and one every member of the family will appreciate. The massive frame is of solid, selected wood, artistically carved, highly polished and finished in rich golden. It is extra large and strong and comfortable for the heaviest person. It has high upholstered back, which adds to the comfort and appearance of the chair. The full spring seat is upholstered over our guaranteed steel construction with our celebrated Moroccoline Leather. The chair is fitted with adjustable back.

The Best Christmas Present

you can give your wife. The one that will be most helpful and the most useful is a

Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet.
 CASH PRICE.....\$25.00
 CREDIT PRICE.....\$27.50

Doll Go-Carts



Ranging in Price from
\$1.25 to \$10

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TUESDAY EVENING, DEC. 20, 1910.

THE PASSING OF THE CHRISTMAS TREE.

Complaint is made of the growing scarcity of Christmas trees. This is a natural result of increased population and the forest destructions, and, unless some means are soon found of staying or regulating it within reasonable conservation, future families in moderate or humble circumstances will have to celebrate Christmas without the Christmas tree fresh from the woods.

The Christmas tree is a glorious relic of earlier ages when forests abounded, when the country was full of woods, when the woods were full of Christmas trees, when every father went out in his wood lot and cut his own Christmas tree.

There were more trees than toys in those old but hazy days, and the sweets were confined to a few plain varieties. Modern children have an endless variety of everything. They usually get so many things that they can't all be hung on an ordinary Christmas tree, and they can afford to dispense with the tree if their parents can bring themselves to consent to dispense with the tradition.

Besides, the modern Christmas tree, with its innumerable candles and its constant danger of conflagration in the household. The only safe Christmas tree is that lighted by electricity or that unlighted. The one is expensive and the other unattractive.

The Christmas tree has not passed us wholly by. There will be plenty of them this year and for many years to come, but they are dangerous as well as beautiful. Parents alone should regulate their illumination, and a word of caution to them is not out of place.

A Uniontown bootmaker who has been furnishing liquor to miners has been apprehended and held in custody. He should be given the full penalty of the law. It is a shame to think of walking spunkies, but it is infinitely worse when the business extends to teach children the habits of beastly intemperance.

Beautiful snow seems to remain right on the job.

The insurance interests deny that they contemplate contesting the claims of the Hines estate, but it is safe to say that they will contest if they find it foolish to stand aside. It is a way in which companies have.

John D. Hockefeller will never again take for publication, and he didn't even wait for New Year's Day to swear off.

Marlmann poker seems to be a "stiff" game.

It is reported that the Uniontown authorities have had a number of poker joints and arrested a number of the inmates. If this is the beginning of a crusade, we should be in luck at its ending. Poker has been reduced to an exact science in Uniontown, and the authorities have a proper regard for science.

The actor is worthy of his hire, and this is no illusion.

South Conneltsville's new glass plant will make up the experimental run this week. It will probably be ready for work business with the opening of the New Year.

Tom and Jerry are getting ready to give Santa Claus a jolly welcome.

The physicians of Conneltsville are not quacks. They think fresh air and plenty of water are better for children than medicine. They believe that a child's playground will be a good thing for the community. Little children, sensible and honest doctors.

The Fayette county Orphan's Court has developed into a lucky orphan.

The Conneltsville postoffice has hired a couple of new hands to help with the Santa Claus mail. The hands will be kept busy from present indications.

The deadly trolley bridge is making business for the undertaker.

Greenburg cannot find room for the female teachers of the County Institute. County seats are not always the best convention towns. It's notably so in Fayette county.

The color lines does not seem to be strictly drawn at Monongahela.

It is proposed in Congress to appropriate \$250,000 for a celebration of Commodore Perry's victory at Put-In-Bay, O., including a gun sufficient for a monument to the author of the laconic dispatch, "We have met the enemy, and they are ours." And the memory of the gallant but unfortunate Colonel William Crawford remains unknown.

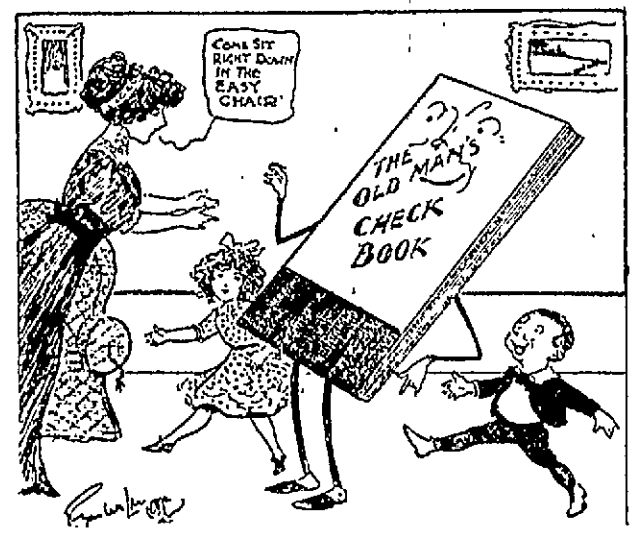
The Thirst Parlor of Conneltsville are taking on a festive appearance.

Tom Lewis isn't worried over the report that he has been defeated for reelection as President of the United Mine Workers. He claims everything with confidence.

"Turkey" Morris is not regarded as being widely respected for all his acts, but when it comes to an artistic job of plugging he seems to be anything but dumb.

Conneltsville's mercantile trade is expanding, and the Western Maryland isn't here yet.

Expansion is a good slogan for the Chamber of Commerce.



The "stir" member of our family during the Christmas shopping season.

MANY DIVORCES.

Over Fifty Petitions Filed in Westmoreland County Courts.

Special to The Courier.

GREENSBURG, Dec. 20.—Perhaps the largest number of divorces in many years of court was up for hearing before Judges Doty and McConnell Monday.

The feature of the big common pleas list was the presence of 58 applications for divorces. When the list was made up 54 were scheduled, but four were added after that time. The applications for divorces comprised almost the entire one-half of the cases on that list.

Eleven applications for charters for various organizations were listed for presentation. Prominent among the charters asked were those for the Westmoreland Automobile Club, the St. John's Hospital, the Russian Orthodox Greek Catholic Church of New Kensington, St. Florian's Slovak Catholic Church of Connettsville, the Italian Benevolent Society, Theodore Roosevelt, Scotland's Board of Trade of New Kensington, St. Anthony's Benevolent Society of Penn Station, and the St. John's Hospital.

With the opening of court the transfer of liquor licenses was among the first work taken up, both judges hearing the petitions. The common pleas argument list was then, out of two, half being given for work before Judge McConnell.

Transfers of liquor licenses were asked in the court of quarter sessions. They were transferred from Henry H. Hines license of Jos. J. Orlinger to Hugh Donnelly, in Hempfield township; Eugene Hines license of Dempster Robinson to L. H. Cori, in Greengarden; and from Samuel M. M. and George F. Clifford, in Greengarden township, to the Greengarden township, to the Greengarden township, to the Greengarden township.

Applications to the incorporation of a new township were heard. The township is made up of those adjoining the township, and the township would be raised, that too much farming land would be taken from the township through this move. Many of the freeholders have petitioned for the incorporation, and the township would be raised, that too much farming land would be taken from the township through this move.

Robert Stewart, a farmer of Greengarden township, who asked \$500 for his lot, was ordered to pay \$500 for his lot. He is a suit of trousers for his lot. In the last term of court, he petitioned for his suit of trousers, and he was ordered to pay \$500 for his lot.

Harry W. Kimball and J. H. Cleveland, of Southwest Greengarden township, petitioned for a return of damages against the Southwest Greengarden township. The township was ordered to pay \$500 for damages against the Southwest Greengarden township.

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PULLMAN RATES.

Will Be \$2.00 for Passengers, \$1.00 for Freight.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 20.—Pullman sleeping car rates will be cheaper after January 20, 1911. The Interstate Commerce Commission yesterday handed down a decision fixing the rates of a lower berth at \$2 and \$1.00 for upper berths for a 12-hour ride.

The Pullman company has agreed to the reduction. The reduction applies to all railroads in the United States except the New York, New Haven & Hartford, the Great Northern and the Milwaukee. This is one of the most complete and far-reaching decisions handed down by the Interstate Commerce Commission and it is estimated that the traveling public will save \$1,000,000 annually.

The commission also issued an order forbidding an increase in freight rates on lumber until April 25, 1911. The proposed increase would have been effective December 21. One hundred and fifty roads are affected.

Patronize those who advertise.

CLASSIFIED ADS. ONE CENT A WORD.

Wanted.

WANTED—A GIRL, APPLY AT ARLINGTON HOTEL. 19dec20d

WANTED—ROOMS AND BOARD, 1006 NICHOLSON STREET. 20dec20d

WANTED—TWO GIRLS FOR RESTAURANT, apply at once, WEST MONROE RESTAURANT. 20dec20d

WANTED—SOLICITORS FOR BUTTER, tea and coffee. UNITED BUTTER COMPANY, 601 Fifth Avenue, New York, N. Y. 19dec20d

WANTED—HUNDREDS OF CONNELLSVILLE'S BEST DRESSERS HAVE THEIR CLOTHES HERE. Why not you? DAVE COHEN, Tailor. 20dec20d

WANTED—SOLICITORS FOR COKE plant, located in Conneltsville, Pa. Give reference, age, experience and salary expected. Write "A. B." care Courier. 19dec20d

WANTED—\$700 FOR THREE years. Security, \$1000 worth of improved, desirable, unimproved farm property in Fayette county, 10 miles from Steelton. Three fourths miles to W. Penn and 1 1/2 to 2 miles to "SCOTT" care Courier. 20dec20d

WANTED—SOLICITORS, GENERAL agents and brokers, all cities and towns of Western Pennsylvania for the best new health and accident, industrial, juvenile, whole and ordinary life policies on the market. Most liberal pay. Address MR. C. M. MEEK, General Manager, Eagle Building, Greenway, Philadelphia, Pa. 19dec20d

FOR RENT—A FIVE ROOM HOUSE, inquire at THE COURIER. 19dec20d

FOR RENT—NICE FURNISHED ROOMS at PHILADELPHIA, North Pittsburg Street. 19dec20d

FOR RENT—A ROOM HOUSE, \$15.00 per month. Inquire 625 HIGHLAND. 19dec20d

FOR RENT—ONE SUITABLE ROOM house, with modern conveniences. Inquire P. A. KALL'S BANK. 19dec20d

For Sale.

FOR SALE—MILKING AND SLIDS, JOH. L. STADLER'S LIVERY. 19dec20d

FOR SALE—NO. 1 CLOVER AND Timothy Hay. H. W. DEWILDER, Tri-State Seed Co. 19dec20d

FOR SALE—8 ACRES WEST VIRGINIA coal land, Greenburg vein. Address "COAL" care Courier. 20dec20d

FOR SALE—FINE BRASS ARTICLES suitable for Christmas gifts. Call at 100 MONROE AVENUE and see them. 19dec20d

FOR SALE—CHEAP FOR CASH, one Edison Mimeograph, not used more than a dozen times. Inquire at The Courier Office. 19dec20d

Lost.

LOST—LADY'S DIAMOND RING with initials, E. and L. to H. H. Saturday in Conneltsville. Finder will receive reward if same is returned to HARRY STADLER, 7 North Pittsburg street, Conneltsville. 19dec20d

Notice.

ANYONE FURNISHING FURNITURE moved or needing stock, goods or help, inquire at JOHNSON'S LIVERY, Vanderbilt, Pa. 20dec20d

Remember.

WHEN WANTING FIRE INSURANCE, Evans & Weaver have old and reliable companies who pay claims promptly. A square deal to all. 311 MONROE AVENUE, BANK BUILDING, Both phones. 19dec20d

Money to Loan.

MONEY TO LOAN—ON MONTHLY payments or first mortgage. Money now ready, no delay. Make application at once. K. K. KRAMER, Real Estate and Insurance, 211 1/2 West 11th. 19dec20d

Are You Thru Buying?

If Not, Finish Out Your List With Pickings from the Following Suggestions. Can't Miss it in Buying These.

Small Rugs.

Make acceptable gifts. You've always a place for another rug. New patterns in Bigelow Electric Rugs, priced, 18x24, at \$1.25; 27x31 at \$3.00 and 36x72 at \$4.50. Also a line of rich Wilton Rugs, 36x63 inches, at \$7.00 and \$8.00 each. Drop in and see these.

Belt Pins

A great many styles of these in gold, silver, oxidized, Roman, jet, etc. All are put in neat boxes for Christmas giving, 25c to \$2.50.

Mufflers

Phoenix and Bradley's, in black, white and colors. The best and most widely advertised mufflers made. Put in neat Christmas boxes and priced at 50c.

Handkerchiefs

For men, women and children, easy to give, always acceptable and nice for mailing. Come put in boxes, 1, 3, 6 or 12 to a box. A large assortment, dainty and beautiful, at all prices.

Windsor Ties

Aside from our other neckwear attractions, a new line of these in colors, with Persian ends, at 50c. Christmas neckwear is always popular.

Hand Bags

In black, tan, gray, green, red, etc. Well made, leather lined, inside coin purse and some with complete equipment for traveling. All prices.

Silk Scarfs

A very beautiful showing of these in silk and crepe-de-chine in delicate evening shades; extra large and entirely new designs. A gift on this order is sure to delight. 50c up to \$4.00.

Bed Sets

Including top sheet and two pillow cases, elaborately drawn, homstitched or embroidered. These come neatly boxed and make very refined gifts.

Kid Gloves

Aside from our stock of ladies' gloves we mention those for children, in sizes from 00 up. Come in tan only and priced at \$1.00.

Umbrellas

For ladies, gentlemen or the little boy or girl. Made with the silk covers and artistic handles of hardwood, gold, silver, pearl, etc. At any price you care to pay. Put up in boxes.

For the Baby

Remember baby with something pretty and useful. A new bonnet, shoes, coat, silk veil, mitts, sweater set, knit cap, leggings, blanket, etc. Infant's department.

Carpet Sweepers

Have you one of these new "Cyclo" Bearing Universal Sweepers in your home? Saves labor and keeps carpets bright and new. A splendid gift.

E. DUNN

129-131-133 N. PITTSBURG STREET.

Christmas Shoppers Looking Around

The Union Supply Company stores are equipped fully for Christmas shoppers, and we believe most everybody can find just what they want in our great stocks. The young men, or young women, boys and girls that are hunting nice Christmas gifts, you can find in our jewelry department rings of every description, watches, chains, pins, etc. A great variety at much less than you would pay at a regular jewelry store. There are choice lines of furnishings for men, women and children, consisting of gloves, mufflers, silk handkerchiefs, hosiery, underwear, collars, cuffs, neckwear, suspenders, and many other useful articles put up especially for Christmas presents. Moderate in price; guaranteed quality.

THE FURNITURE

AND HOUSEFURNISHING DEPARTMENT are overflowing with choice goods suitable for Christmas presents. We cannot enumerate all, but will call your attention especially to chairs, davenport, library tables, brass beds, rugs, lace curtains, portiers, and many other useful things; bought expressly for Christmas trade; marked especially low. We feel confident you can find a useful present in this department.

UNION SUPPLY CO.

63 LARGE DEPARTMENT STORES, Located in Fayette, Westmoreland and Allegheny Cos.

P. R. DeMuth & Sons

FLORISTS

Store 112 W. Main St. Greenhouses 811 S. Pittsburg

JOS. A. MASON

Notary Public. Always has room for Rent; Property for Sale; Notary Public. Second National Bank Building, Conneltsville, Pa.

DR. BARNES

Electro-Medical Specialist. All Curable Diseases Treated. Diseases Peculiar to Men and Women and Deafness a Specialty. Conneltsville, Pa. and Connettsville.

Let US PRINT your SALE BILLS

READ THE COURIER.

FREE HOLIDAY GIFT

Beautiful \$10 French Jointed Doll Absolutely FREE. Between now and December 24, we will give a Numbered Coupon with every purchase of \$1 or over. On the eve of December 24, the stubs bearing each number given out will be placed in a box and one number drawn out. The holder of the Lucky Number will be announced in The Courier of Monday December 26.

Singing Canary Birds, every one a fine singer, \$3

HOLIDAY GOODS

We are Santa Claus Headquarters. All the new toys are here on display. Dolls, doll cars, mechanical toys, books, sleds and novelties of every kind can be found here at prices within the reach of everybody.

DOLLS.

Our line of dolls is the best ever. Kid body and jointed dolls from the small to the life size. Come in and see them. The prices range from 25c to \$6.00.

DOLL CARTS.

A complete line of folding doll carts, with iron and rubber tired wheels. They all fold up into a small package. These folding carts range from 50c to \$3.00.

Sleds, 50c, 75c and 90c
Drums, 25c to \$1.00
Children's Dish Sleds, 25c to \$3
Target Sets, 25c to \$1.25
Books, 25c to 75c
Toy Tables, 25c

Constring Wagon, \$4.39
Mechanical Trains, 99c to \$5
Electric Toys, 49c to 99c
Electric Toys, 99c
Blackboards, 49c and 99c
Chairs, 25c to 99c

These are only a few of the many things to delight the children. We have thousands of toys to please every youngster. Come in and look them over.

Winter Goods

We are prepared to save money for you on goods that are suitable for the weather now prevailing. We call special attention to our attractive prices on Rubbers and Overshoes. The shoe dealers of the city, worried by the low prices we are quoting are saying the reason we are selling so cheaply is because the rubbers are old stock. Don't You Believe It. Every pair are fresh, bright, new goods. All came in since October 1st. We are satisfied with a moderate profit, and are not trying to boost the price.

The wholesale price of Rubber Goods has dropped in the last 30 days, and the price never did advance as much as some dealers try to make you believe. We have new bright rubbers at the following low prices, and have 40 cases more coming in this week. With your cooperation we expect to sell every pair at the price is right.

Ladies' Rubbers, storm or plain pattern, others price 65c. Our price per pair 45c
Ladies' Alaska Cloth, fleece lined Rubbers, others price 55c. Our price per pair 55c
Men's Self-Acting Gum Rubbers, others price 90c. Our price 69c
Men's Alaska Cloth, Fleece lined Rubbers, others price 80c. Our price 80c
Men's Fleece lined Arctic, others charge \$1.25, our price \$1.00
Men's Perfection Felt Boot Combinations, our price \$2.50
Misses' Rubbers, size 1 1/2 to 2, others ask 50c to 60c. Our price, pair 39c

SCHMITZ'

New York Racket Store

Christmas Footwear

Useful and Appreciated.

AN IDEAL PLACE to buy Christmas gifts. We have Christmas gifts for any member of the family. Christmas gifts bought here is money well spent.

Slippers—Make a very useful Xmas Gift for any member of a family, not expensive and there is no one but what can use them. We have them in all styles and all colors.

High Top Shoes—For boys and girls will be a very pleasing gift to give. Any boy or girl who does not have a pair will be more than pleased to receive one. They are certainly very useful for winter footwear. Come and see us before you buy your Christmas Gifts.

C. W. Downs & Co.

Sensible Gifts

Some want Slippers, some want shoes, either one will be appreciated.

We have both Shoes and Slippers for every member of the family.

No store can do more for you than our store. Most people know we have by far the largest stock of good footwear in town to choose from and that our prices are always fair.

SHOES for Men, Women, Boys and Girls for every kind of wear.

MEN'S SLIPPERS—In leather, black or tan, every style, including Romeos, at \$1.15 to \$2.50; felt \$1.25 to \$1.50.

WOMEN'S SLIPPERS—We simply can't describe them. Felt, fur trim or plain, \$1.00 to \$1.50, in every desirable shade. Kid Bedroom Slips, red, brown, black, at \$1.00.

Dress Slippers in patents or kid, all dainty models.

Hooper & Long

Aunt Claims Little Nephew Who Prefers Adopted Home.

Special to The Courier.

SCOTTSDALE, Dec. 20.—Poor Director John M. Kennell spent yesterday in Greensburg on an interesting case affecting seven-year-old boy who had been adopted by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Murray and had made one of their family. When the boy's mother died when he was about two years old some family took the little fellow whose name was Murray from the home and kept him for a while and then brought him back for some reason. The child's father had left him altogether. It seems, anyway Murray came to the home and got the little boy and brought him to Scottsdale some years ago and raised him as the Murray's own child. Recently they wanted to adopt the child in a legal way and papers were being prepared for this when an aunt living at New Kensington took a notion that she wanted the boy and the matter thus came before court. The case was heard before Judge L. W. Doyle late yesterday afternoon. The child when asked whether he wanted to go with his aunt or whether he wanted to go back to Scottsdale with Mr. and Mrs. Murray, said "Why, with them, they are my papa and mamma." The child was well dressed and wrote his name fluently when asked to do so and said that he was attending school regularly. Murray is a roller in the mill here and at the conclusion of the hearing the judge said that he would take a few days to consider the matter in and in the meanwhile the boy was to go back to Scottsdale with the Murrays and they were to send him to school and treat him just as they had treated him before. The Murrays made a strong plea to have the child.

Cedar Bone Broken.

Cecil, a seven-year-old son of Harry Anderson, and who makes his home with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. David Anderson, of the White school house, had his collar bone broken in an accident at the school house on Friday. It is said that the children had finished eating their dinner and had been putting away their baskets when a scuffle arose in which one boy pushed the little Anderson and over and that several piled on

him, and his collar bone was fractured.

Was Thawing Weather.

The people were somewhat exercised over the prospect yesterday of having an ending of the winter weather which has been so steady for several weeks, but they were greatly encouraged when the snow began to blow about last night. Many pavements were cleaned off during the day and one of the best things found to clean off ice from the pavements was a four pronged stubble fork that G. W. Porter was using in front of their store.

Moved His Store.

Fred M. Lovell has moved his store from the Joseph McCullough building a few doors further up Pittsburg street to the room in the Elcher & Gratt building occupied by J. L. Jagger while the latter was having his building remodeled.

Attending the Institute.

A good number of the Scottsdale school teachers, went to Greensburg yesterday to attend the West-Indiana County Teachers' Institute, but few of them are staying in Greensburg, as the boarding houses are filled with the 1,100 teachers of the county, and accommodations are scarce. The institute opened at the West Penn leaving here at 7:25 in the morning and leaving Greensburg at 1:20 in the afternoon for the return. It is deservedly popular and makes the teachers practically independent.

Sunday Schools Busy.

The Sunday school people are busy this week, it being vacation from day school and they are preparing for the Christmas observance which in the most of the church is closed next Sunday. There will be charity donations at about all the schools in town and the poor will receive considerable help this year from all institutions.

Elcher Sells Lot.

Among the transfers of real estate recorded at Greensburg in the week is the sale of a lot in East Huntingdon township by John P. Elcher to W. S. Wiley for \$125. Both men are residents of Scottsdale.

Visited in Connellsville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lester Porter spent Sunday in Connellsville visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Shuman.

Evangelist Davis' Sermon At Tabernacle Last Night.

Those who attended the evangelistic service at the tabernacle last night enjoyed a fine meeting in which a splendid spirit was shown by the audience. The sermon was a powerful one, a novel scripture exercise conducted by Evangelist Davis in which he drilled the audience in memorizing some of the important facts of the Bible. Mr. Davis' sermon in song was the selection entitled "The Lamb That Was Wounded For Me." Evangelist Davis' address was full of eloquent suggestions to Christians, his subject being "Some Things That a Christian Ought to Be." In the course of which he said:

"A Christian should be the salt of the earth and exert a purifying and preserving influence wherever he lives and wherever he goes. It is a great mistake when there is a fourth of July to let the devil run away with everything. Instead of standing on the sidewalk viewing sin and disorder and saying 'Isn't it too bad,' Christians should take a hand in the thing and see that things are conducted for the glory of God as far as possible. It is astonishing what Christians can do along this line when they unite and act at all."

"The Christian ought also to be a light shining where the darkness is greatest. If it is hard to live a Christian life where you are working, that is all the more reason why you should let your light shine. You can hinder

your light from shining if you are over-sensitive. You have got more people in this place than any place I have struck in a long time. Some of you are sensitive that it takes all the winter time to keep you fixed up."

Evangelist Davis announced that he would conduct a report service. "If any of you have a good report to make get up and tell us about it," said the evangelist. Out of a large number of excellent reports a few extracts are as follows:

"There is a young woman that I haven't spoken to for two years. Last night we got together and made things right with each other."

"I heard half a dozen people say that last night's meeting was the greatest they ever attended. One young lady said that she wouldn't have missed it for a hundred dollars."

"You made me realize what my mother is to me and I am going to be more thoughtful of her in the future."

"I am a stranger in here, but I have three meetings talked about every where I go."

"The work at Scottsdale is getting better all the time. At the last prayer meeting in our church the attendance was 100, the largest we have ever had."

"I am working under influences almost unbearable but I am determined to let my light shine and show that I am a Christian."

SAVED SELF AND DAUGHTER.

Mattoon, Ill.—"Will you allow me for the benefit of others who may be in the same condition as I was to make a statement in this paper."

"I was in very poor health for years, was weak, ailing, with all run-down and had lost in weight until I only weighed ninety pounds. I had been under a physician's care, without any benefit, for no long I was discouraged."

"About a year ago I decided to try a tonic called Vinol, concerning which I had heard many favorable reports. I commenced to gain and increased in weight until I now weigh 125 pounds, am in perfect health—and never felt better in my life."

"Then, my daughter who lived in Martinsville, Ind., was an invalid, and no encouragement was held out for her recovery. After my experience with Vinol, we went to Martinsville and brought her to Mattoon, as she was helpless. When we got her here I put her on Vinol, with the same good results from its use which I had—she gained in weight, and today she is well and strong and feels better than she ever did in her life."

"Mrs. O. M. Watrous. (We guarantee this letter is genuine.)"

"We have for years recommended Vinol as a grand tonic and body-builder, and every year we gain more and more faith in its wonderful virtues. It is certainly the best and simplest tonic restorative we know of. Grimes & Company, Druggists, Connellsville, Pa."

SURPRISE PARTY

Given Mrs. Louis Costa at Sand Rock Home.

Mrs. Louis Costa was tendered a very delightful surprise party Tuesday evening, December 13, at her home at Sand Rock. The affair was in honor of Mrs. Costa's 41st birthday anniversary and was arranged by Mrs. Sophia Chandler of River Hill. Mrs. Costa had come to the town to meet her husband, who was returning from Ohio, and on their return home they were greeted by a number of their friends who had assembled at during their absence to assist in the celebration of the birthday of Mrs. Costa. The affair was a complete surprise to Mrs. Costa. The evening was pleasantly spent at various games and dancing and at a late hour the guests assembled in the dining room where an elaborate repast was

served. The decorations were unusually pretty and the tables were laden with all the delicacies of the season.

Among the guests present were Mr. and Mrs. August Peterson, aged 70 and 67 years, respectively. The prize for the best dancing was awarded to Mrs. Peterson. Mrs. Peterson was the recipient of a number of very pretty and useful presents.

Dentist Sherrill Killed.

LATROBE, Pa., Dec. 20.—Charles Davidson, aged 41, a sheriff's deputy at the Latrobe station, was killed here yesterday morning while trying to cross a moving train on the Pennsylvania railroad. Davidson fell between the cars. He came here from Philadelphia.

Cure for Liquor Habit.

Give Orlene and Destroy All Desire for Liquor.

Orlene is the most successful cure for the liquor habit that the world has ever known. It is a home treatment, given without publicity, detention from business or loss of time, and is absolutely guaranteed if the simple directions on each box are carefully followed. No remarkable have been the changes wrought for suffering drinkers not by Orlene that leading ministers, church workers, philanthropists and druggists everywhere recommend the treatment. Thousands of endorsements have been given for this remedy.

Read this one from the Quaker Drug Co., Philadelphia:

"During the past five years we have sent thousands of packages of ORLENE, and have never heard of a single case in which it failed to cure. We are sure that the cure of ORLENE has cured them. We are sure that the cure of ORLENE has cured them. We are sure that the cure of ORLENE has cured them."

Orlene is prepared in two forms. No. 1 is a home treatment, suitable for those who wish to cure themselves. Orlene costs only \$1 a box. In every box is a guarantee which entitles you to a refund of your money if Orlene fails to effect a cure. Write for Orlene booklet mailed in plain sealed envelope to Orlene Co., 118 Orange Building, Washington, D. C. Orlene is for sale in this city by Barker's Pharmacy, 120 S. Pittsburg St.

They will not offer you a substitute.

OPEN EVENINGS UNTIL 10 O'CLOCK.

Your Best Opportunity FOR Christmas Shopping IS AT SEDERSKY & RAPPORT'S SALE OF MACE & CO.'S STOCK

Beginning today—Tuesday—we offer a sale of suitable Christmas goods with the most extraordinary values ever known. We are determined to make this week the banner week of our great going out of the Clothing, Shoe, Dry Goods and Furnishing business sale.

Our Whole Object is to Dispose of the Stock.

Men's Dress Shoes worth \$3.50 Christmas Price	\$1.90	Bath Robes, worth \$3.50 and \$4.00, Christmas Price	\$1.90	Men's Coat Sweaters, worth \$3.50, Christmas Price	\$1.90
Men's Dress Shoes worth \$5.00 Christmas Price	\$2.85	Men's and Young Men's Suits, worth \$25 and \$30, Christmas Price	\$14.85	Men's Dress Shirts worth \$1.50, Christmas Price	90c
Ladies' Dress Shoes worth \$4 and \$5 Christmas Price	\$2.45	Men's and Young Men's Overcoats, worth \$20, Christmas Price	\$11.90	Men's Dress Shirts, worth \$2.50, Christmas Price	\$1.20
Ladies' Over Gaiters, worth \$1.00, Christmas Price	63c	Full Dress Suits, worth \$25 and \$30, Christmas Price	\$10.00	Men's Silk Ties, worth 50c, Christmas Price	28c
Ladies' Juliet Slippers, worth \$1.50 and \$2.00, Christmas Price	98c	Ladies' Silk and Lace Waists, worth \$5 and \$6, Christmas Price	\$2.90	Silk Mufflers, worth \$1, Christmas Price	66c
Ladies' Over Gaiters worth 50c, Christmas Price	33c	Ladies' Silk and Lace Waists, worth \$7.50 and \$8.50, Christmas Price	\$3.90	Suspenders, worth 50c, Christmas Price	33c
Ladies' Hose in colors, worth 50c Christmas Price	28c	Ladies' Long Coats, worth \$20 and \$22.50, Christmas Price	\$8.65	Men's Work Gloves, worth 75c, Christmas Price	36c
Boys' and Girls' Hose, worth 25c, Christmas Price	16c	Ladies' One-Piece Dresses, worth \$20 and \$22.50, Christmas Price	\$9.80	Men's Kid Gloves, worth \$1.50, Christmas Price	90c
Ladies' Kid Gloves, worth \$1.50, Christmas Price	96c	Ladies' Fur Scarfs, worth \$12, Christmas Price	\$5.90	Men's Silk Ties, worth \$1, Christmas Price	43c
Ladies' Long Kid Gloves, worth \$1.50, Christmas Price	\$1.78	Ladies' Fur Scarfs, worth \$16, Christmas Price	\$7.90	Brass Fern Dishes, worth \$1.50, Christmas Price	58c
Ladies' Long Silk Gloves, worth \$1.25, Christmas Price	68c	Ladies' Fur Scarfs, worth \$30, Christmas Price	\$12.80	Brass Candle Holders, worth \$3.50, Christmas Price	\$1.90
Ladies' Colored Silk Petticoats, worth \$6.00 Christmas Price	\$2.80	Ladies' Fur Scarfs, worth \$35, Christmas Price	\$21.00	16 piece Toilet Sets, worth \$25, Christmas Price	\$12.90
Messaline Silk worth \$1.50, Christmas Price	78c	Children's Fur Sets, worth \$7.50, Christmas Price	\$3.90	Jewel Boxes, worth \$3, Christmas Price	\$1.38
Voile Dress Goods, worth \$1.50, Christmas Price	69c	Children's Fur Sets, worth \$2.25, Christmas Price	\$1.20	Cut Glass Wine and Water Bottles, worth \$8.50, Christmas Price	\$3.90
Rajah Silk, worth \$1.50, Christmas Price	68c	Children's Fur Sets, worth \$3, Christmas Price	\$2.45	Set of Six Water Tumblers, worth 75c, each, Christmas Price, Set	\$2.00
Broadcloth, worth \$2, Christmas Price	94c	Children's Fur Sets, worth \$4, Christmas Price	\$1.90	Ladies' Sweater Coats, extra long, worth \$6, Christmas Price	\$2.90
Smoking Jackets, worth \$4, \$5 and \$6, Christmas Price	\$1.98	Men's Fur Caps, worth \$2.50, Christmas Price	\$1.35	Cut Glass Vinegar Cruets, worth \$3.50, Christmas Price	\$1.90
Men's Stiff and Soft Hats, worth \$4, Christmas Price	\$1.95			12 in. Brass Jardiners, worth \$6.50, Christmas Price	\$2.90

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The BIG STORE.

VANDEBILT.

SMITHFIELD.

Miss Fern Murray of Confluence, wa the guest of relatives and friends i

When You Want
Anything advertised in our classified
column. The cost? In a word.

BALTIMORE & OHIO R.R.

and information concerning time
trains and connections, call at the B
timore & Ohio Depot, Connellsville, P
Tri-State Phone 250.
H. L. DOUGLASS, Ticket Age

The good reasons why Jewelry for Christmas giving surpasses any other forms of merchandise, are its compactness of size for sending; its personal appeal for adornment; its sentimental value; and its lasting nature if good. Every article in our store has been selected to meet these principles of criticism, and then reasonably priced.

141 W. Main St., Connellsville, Pa.

Select now from our great holiday stocks which will win your extravagant praise because of wonderful styles and low pricing

OPEN EVENINGS

BELL SYSTEM



LOOK OVER OUR ADVERTISING COLUMNS FOR CHRISTMAS BARGAINS.

News From Nearby Towns.

DUNBAR.

DUNBAR, Dec. 20.—Mrs. Margaret Duonan was the guest of her sister, Mrs. John Lafferty on the West Side Connelville.

Mrs. Howard Markle of Perryopolis, is here the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Felt.

Misses Lucy and Jane Scott left Monday for Uniontown, where they will attend the county teachers institute.

Miss Ruth May left for Mt. Pleasant, where she will be the guest of her parents.

Justin Ralston of New Alexandria, was here on Sunday visiting friends.

George Wihart, who is a student at State College, arrived home on Sunday evening and will spend his Christmas vacation here with his sisters, Misses Ella and Jean Wihart.

Miss Madeline DeGra was the guest of friends in Uniontown.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McGibbons were the guests of friends in Connelville on Sunday.

Miss Anna Lockman was the guest of friends in Connelville on Sunday.

Miss Mary Harper was shopping in Connelville.

Charles Lang of Vanderbilt, is here the guest of his grandmother, Mrs. Mary Smith of Speers Hill.

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OWENSDALE.

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Harry Ottenberg of Scottsdale, was calling on friends here Sunday.

Mrs. William Lading of Scottsdale, was visiting with relatives here yesterday.

Clayton Baker of Haverhill, was visiting relatives here over Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Hanks had returned home after several weeks' visit to relatives at Haverhill.

Frank Newman was visiting at California, Pa. Sunday.

Frank Yohet has been visiting relatives at West Side, Connelville, for the past several days.

Mrs. Oliver King, Mrs. David King, David Opperman and William King, were at Mt. Pleasant visiting David King, who was operated on Saturday.

Mr. King is rapidly convalescing.

Miss Catherine Youngkin of Scottsdale, was visiting relatives here yesterday.

Mrs. John Swapp of Delmar, was visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Foutte over Sunday.

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pays and cheerfulness replaces
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**Beecham's
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Sold Everywhere. In boxes 10c, and 25c.

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120 EAST MAIN STREET,
(New Building).
Cut Flowers for all oc-
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Designs a
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WISHES TO CALL YOUR AT-
TENTION TO THE FACT
THAT IN HIS

PHARMACY

on W. Main Street
Between 6th and 7th Street,
Connellsville, Pa.

can be found a large assortment
of gifts suitable for Christmas
present.

We have a fine line of Post
Card Albums, ranging in price
from 25c to \$2.50. Perhaps a
few of the highest quality at the lowest
prices. The celebrated J-Star
Pipes, The celebrated Leslie
Safety Razors, with the best
strapper on the market. Fine
Candies, which are fresh. We
have an elegant line of Cur-
tains, Post Cards and booklets 1c
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Our Greatest Xmas Sale Begins Tomorrow

Our greatest value-giving Xmas Sale starts at this store tomorrow. The question that has been worrying you how to make your Xmas money go farthest is answered fully and completely in this store-wide price reducing event. We intend to make this sale so wonderfully helpful to every patron of this store that our value-giving supremacy will be firmly established for years.

Matchless values are to be found all over the store. The Xmas spirit is everywhere. The whole store responds to this price lowering occasion. If you buy you are bound to save. The goods on sale are our own worthy stocks, which have been chosen to meet your demands and which are now lowered in price solely for the purpose of making this, the greatest Xmas Sale in our history.

The List of underpriced items here, unmistakable evidence of the drastic price cutting we have indulged in is plainly evident.

Store Open Every Evening Until Xmas

Special Items

VERY SPECIAL.

25c and 35c Ladies' guar-
anteed fast black Hoses, including
the famous "Bunson Seamless
Hose," per Xmas **21c**

Ladies' Silk Hosiery, in all shades
—such as black, light blue, pink,
navy, grey, lavender, white and
tan. \$1.25 values. **\$1**

Special In Corsets.
Long hips, with four pairs of
supporters, **89c**

Ladies' Scarfs.
In all the popular shades, such
as light, blue, white, lavender,
pink and black, regular
75c value. Special at **43c**

Children's Rain Capes.
Special at \$2.50 and \$3.00

A sensible gift, made of gos-
samer rubber; reach down to top
of shoes; hood lined with plaid
mercerized material; sizes, 6 to
14 years.

Leather Handbags.
Fine goat, seal or walrus leath-
er, covered or fancy leather
fringe; \$2.00 values **1.69**

Serviceable Suits

Slashed

Never so many fine tailor-made
Jacket Suits in a reduction sale
at this time of the year, and the
price of every suit is cut one-
fourth and one-third off the reg-
ular price.

Dozens and dozens of them to
choose from, every style that
women have favored this winter.
Odd sizes are included in this
sale.

Defying Coat Prices

We say it without fear of con-
tradiction. These prices chal-
enge all comparisons. No one in
Connellsville has ever heard of or
seen their equal.

Coats of unusual style and
warmth; coats that are 54 inches
long, with beauty in every line,
grandeur in every inch.

Chiffon broadcloths, rough
serges, wide wales and diagonals
are all here.

Prices range from

\$12.50 to \$35

Sacrifice without mercy.

Special Items

SPECIAL—All Leather Bags
in black, with fittings of pocket-
book and card case, with leather
cover or fancy frames; had sold
at \$1.50. Special **\$1.00**

Other Handbags **\$10**
up to **\$12**

Silver Mesh Bags, in German
Silver, all the new designs, from
\$1.00 up to **\$12**

VERY SPECIAL.

Umbrellas—Made of very fine
gloria silk; good steel frame;
plain or decorated handles; reg-
ular \$2.00 values **97c**

Phoenix Mufflers— **43c**
in all shades, at **\$1**

Phoenix Mufflers—
Our special at 25c to **\$1**
Women's Fancy Lisle and Silk
Vests, at **2.00**

Ladies' and Misses' Kid
Gloves, both in mannish and
dress kids, spe-
cial at **1.00**

Our Entire Stock of Furs Reduced One-Fourth

WOMEN'S DRESSES.

Our entire stock of Women's
Dresses and Costumes. No re-
servations whatsoever. Go from
ease to ease, rack to rack—see
all—Choose from all. Pay the
saleslady only half what the tag
calls for.

Prices range from \$10.00 to
\$35.00.

SKIRTS

Skirts of fine quality Pana-
ma cloth, combining many of the
season's new features to make a
dressy garments up to \$6.50
values for

\$4.40

Silk Underskirts—Made of
rustling taffeta silk; regular
\$4.50 values; in **2.90**
black only; at **2.90**

Gloves from 25c to 50c.
Handbags, made of seal leath-
er, fitted with metal **2.90**
toilet articles, at **1.00**
Velvet Bags in black **1.00**
only, 50c to **1.00**

FELDSTEIN'S

The Best Place

in Fayette county to buy your Christmas Candy, for
we carry everything in Candies. Our fine line of
French Assorted Glazed Fruits, such as Cherry,
Pineapple, etc., at 60 cents per pound, and the very
best Home-Made Chocolates from 30c to 80c per pound.
All kinds of Taffy made fresh every day, 10 and 20
cents per pound.

We carry the most up-to-date line of Baskets and
Boxes from 25c up to \$9.50.

Our Maple Ice Cream is the Best Ever.

Special Attention to Sunday School Orders.

Mikalarias & Berbatis
N. PITTSBURG ST., CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

Read This Remarkable Free Gold Fish Offer at Barkley's Rexall Drug Store

129 South Pittsburg Street, Connellsville, Pa.
Beginning Friday, December 16th, until December
25th we will give FREE Two Gold Fish, 1 Globe,
Pebbles, Grass and all complete, with each one pound
package of either Guth's or Liggett's Candies, which
you all know are the world's best candies, and only
sold by the largest and most up-to-date drug stores
in this country.

GUTH'S

Chocolates August 1 lb. \$1.00
Chocolates in 1/2 lb. 50c
Chocolates, the Famous Shirt
Waist package, ribbon tied,
one pound 80c
Same as above, 1/2 lb. 40c
Guth's Chocolate Covered Mar-
shmallows in 1 lb. box 80c
Guth's Chocolates and Bonbons,
one pound 80c
Guth's Holly Package, 1 lb. box
Guth's Holly Package 1/2 lb. box
Liggett's one pound 40c
Liggett's 1/2 lb. 40c

Manicure Sets in leather and
leatherette cases, plush and
satin lined, in ebony, mahog-
any and bone, ranging in price
from \$3.00 to \$4.75
Military Brushes, solid ebony and
mahogany, from \$1.50 to \$2.00 a
pair
Crown package and Holly Str-
monery, 75c to \$2.50 box
Gillette Safety Razors from \$5
to \$10
Pipes, English Sweet Briar and
French Briar and Meerschaum,
\$1.50 to \$6.00
Cigars from \$1.50 for box of 20,
to \$4.25.

Temporary Heat Quickly

Did you ever stop to think of the many ways in which a
perfect oil heater is of value? If you want to sleep with your win-
dow open in winter, you can get sufficient heat from an oil heater
while you undress at night, and then turn it off. Apply a match
in the morning, when you get out of bed, and you have heat while you dress.
Those who have to eat an early
breakfast before the stove is radiating
heat can get immediate warmth from
an oil heater, and then turn it off.

The girl who practices on the piano
in a cold room in the morning can
have warmth from an oil heater while
she plays, and then turn it off.

The member of the family who
has to walk the floor on a cold win-
ter's night with a restless baby can get
temporary heat with an oil heater, and
then turn it off.

PERFECTION
SMOKELESS
OIL HEATER
Absolutely smokeless and odorless

is invaluable in its capacity of quickly giving heat. Apply a match and it is im-
mediately at work. It will burn for nine hours without refilling. It is safe,
smokeless and odorless. It has a damper top and a cool handle. An indicator
always shows the amount of oil in the tank.

It has an automatic-cleaning flame spreader which prevents the
wick from being turned high enough to smoke, and is easy to remove and drop
back so that the wick can be cleaned in an instant.

The burner body or gallery cannot become wedged, and can be quickly
unscrewed for refilling. Finished in iron or nickel, strong, durable, well-
made, built for service, and yet light and ornamental.

Desires Everywhere. If not at yours, write for descriptive circular
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HOMESTEAD GAVE COKERS A SCARE.

They Came Too in First Half
and Looked Mighty
Dangerous.

CAME WAS CLOSE AFTER THAT

But Cokers Played Better Ball and
Won 39 to 28—Doherty High Man
With Seven Baskets—Team Played
Great Ball Save For Brief Interval.

Source Last Night.
Cokers 39; Homestead 28.
Johnstown 28; Uniontown 25.
South Side 20; McKeesport 25.

Club Standings.
South Side 10 5 792
McKeesport 11 7 729
Johnstown 11 15 458
Homestead 10 11 417
CONNEIGHT 9 10 389
Uniontown 7 10 320

Games Tonight.

Cokers at Homestead.
South Side at Johnstown.

Homestead came in in the latter part of the first half of last night's game, almost tied the score after the Cokers ran off with a big lead and then kept close enough on the heels of the Yellow Jackets to make things interesting. The Cokers finally won 39 to 28 and were never headed but missed out on a big score by losing at the close of the first half. The Cokers started to run away with the game right from the start and in the first nine minutes of play piled up 12 points before Homestead got their first two on Wohlfarth's field goal. The 12 points were made on field goals by Doherty, Kiefer, Park and Ahern, and two fouls by Kummer. Even after Homestead broke the chain and began scoring they could not do much until the Cokers had them 15 to 6. Then things happened. The Coker players began to think they were a big string of goals would look after their time and were shooting wild. They were so deeply engrossed in this playful game they forgot to guard closely. Homestead ran the score from 5 up to 17 before the Yellow Jackets came to life. Two of these were field goals by Ahern which were the result of good offensive play, but the others might have been prevented. The half closed 19 to 17. Kummer, winding up the season with a foul goal.

There was a mighty pow-wow in the dressing room between the halves during which the boys decided they had better get down to business. This they did by starting the second session on the jump. Ahern and Doherty getting two goals almost before the Yellow Americans awoke to what was happening. After that it was easy sailing and the boys Homestead got was within three points. Doherty, who was making his half the Coker shots in the first half, caused the basket better in the second and scored five shots, four of which were of the sensational order. Doherty also made several nice tosses which either went into the net and bounded out, or struck the rim and rebounded back onto the floor. Kiefer had a hard luck shot in the first half. The ball landed fairly on the rim, hit there for an instant, spinning around, and finally dropped back into the arms of a waiting Homestead player. During the last five minutes of play the Cokers gave a classy exhibition of passing, dribbling and shooting. In this Kiefer starred. He dashed up and down the floor, passed accurately and did not fumble. In the first half the Kiefer connected for three shots, and one in the second. The John Ahern played a nice game getting three goals and participating in the mix-up. Captain Billy Kummer had fair luck on the foul line but Heron guarded him so closely he did not hand a field goal. He was forced to make long shots and while they came near the mark none landed. Kiefer was a star all times, particularly on the defense. He had hard luck with his shots and only caused one. Taken as a whole the team showed marked improvement over previous contests of late.

Referee Meisel officiated and his work was only fair. He did not watch the centers at all and neither of them was jumping half the time. He let Hone Stibel get away with the stunt of tapping the ball on its upward course a couple of times. The lineup:

Cokers—Doherty, Kiefer, Park, Ahern, Kummer, Heron, Wohlfarth, Guard.

Substitutions—Glassy for Steele.

Field goals—Doherty 7, Kiefer 1, Ahern 5, Kiefer 2, Adams 2, Steele 2, Wohlfarth 2.

Foul goals—Kummer 0 out of 14; Adams 12 out of 14.

Referee—Meisel.

Time—Minutes and Glassy.

Attendance—100.

Casual Comment.
The Cokers are climbing.

Poor Uniontown lost once more.
Ten in a row.

Every team in the league had a kick
against the referees last night.

Some game at McKeesport. Tubers
got a setback.

Wonder what team will break South
Side's winning streak? Twelve victo-
ries in a row for them.

'Flagger' Doherty almost played
the whole game for the Cokers last
night.

The John Ahern hasn't been over-
rated in any event. Big John is the
goal.

Homestead went 9 minutes without
a score in the first half. In the re-
maining 11 they scored 17 points and
almost tied the Cokers.

The Cokers almost forgot teamwork
in the latter part of the first half.
Players were trying impossible shots
when there was every opportunity to
pass the ball closer to the basket. Got
over it in time, however.

Harry Rogers warmed up with the
boys and then kept the official score.
Rogers gradually rounding into form
and may play against Uniontown.

This is an easy week for the Cokers.
After tonight they have but one more
game—Friday here with Uniontown.

Good start towards three straight
for the week. Keep up the good work
and duplicate the feat tonight.

Johnstown has now won two games
away from home this season. Their
road record is almost on a par with
that of the Cokers, who haven't been
any too fortunate away from home.

Leon Kiefer played another swell
game last night. Kiefer is developing
into one of the best in the league. Few
players have it on him when it comes
to defensive work.

Hand the bouquet to Jack Adams.
He played a swell game last night.

Both teams had a lot of hard luck
with their shots and the score should
have been higher. The ball seemed to
have an aversion against passing
through the netting.

At times the Cokers displayed
splendid team work. That's what
counts, too.

Kiefer got four goals to Wohlfarth's
two. The Kiefer played a nice
game. His dribbling was perfect and
the way he puttered up and down the
floor, carrying the ball with him, was
worth the price of admission. None
of them had it on Kiefer's Kiefer last
night.

Doherty added 14 points to his re-
cord last night which wasn't a bad ex-
ample. If the "Phantom" had
landed all the shots he fired his score
would have been in the hundreds.
Many of them only missed the basket
by a hair at that.

Billy Kummer played a great game
but Heron was on his trail. He had
fair luck at that, narrowly missing
the few close shots he got and coming
mighty near landing his long tosses.

The field goal was 8 to 15 with the
Cokers on the long end.

Manager March failed to come
across with the long promised sign-
board that is to be erected for the
benefit of the bleacher fund. He says
he will have it in readiness for Friday
night's game. Last call, manager.

One fan in the bleachers was just a
trifle noisy towards Heron's Meisel.
Some referees do not even give a man
credit for good intentions.

The preliminary game was interest-
ing. If one sided. In the first half the
Knights of Columbus tied the score—
once. Morton got away with several
good shots.

It is reported that both Wetzell and
Wilmers have resigned from Presi-
dent Lettendorf's staff of referees. This
leaves only Zank, Alton and Meisel.
Wilmers can charge his failure up to
his lack of maintenance discipline and
the proper dignity of his position.

We tremble to think what would
have happened if the field man were it
not for Connellsville. On many occasions
but for the Cokers and their fans the
referees of that sheet would be de-
prived of the "Phantom" which have
comic section ever printed beaten to
a frazzle.

A new scheme is being worked now
to let local fans know when there is
a game at the West Side Auditorium.
In the future a big ball on which has
been painted "Basketball Tonight"
will be suspended from one of the
trolley poles on Brinstone Corner.

Since there is danger of losing its
franchise, McKeesport is awakening
to the fact that patrons of the game
there are entitled to certain privileges
and must have them before they will
come across with the price of admis-
sion. One of these is a well heated
bench.

Patrons those who advertise.

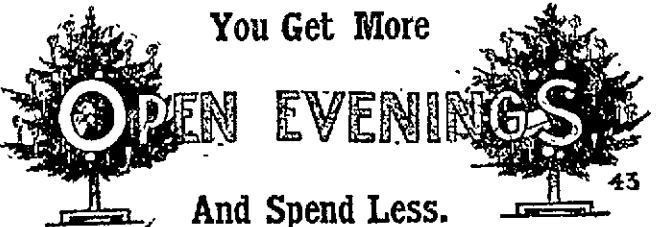
Bring in Your "Checked" Christmas Folder

Lists were plentiful yesterday, thick with names on the margin opposite.

Larger assortments of all kinds and classes of Holiday Gift Things, both costly and inexpensive, so every one could get just what they wanted.

Ask for a list, write or phone for one and see how quick the mail man brings it.

You Get More



And Spend Less.

Whose Name is Opposite Heart-Winning,
Hand-Beautiful

Linen Decorations

Via our New York office came a large and favor-
able consignment of "beauty pieces" fashioned by
honest German fingers across the water. Everything
included is a gift to gladden the housewife, and the
giver can reap the benefit of the low prices incident
to large and direct assemblage.

Handsome clay line trimmed dollies, centerpieces, tray covers
and scents in attractive designs.

Battenberg, solid embroidery, drawn work to suit all uses, all
purposes.

Round and Square Dollies, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1 and to \$5.00.

Scarves, 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 to \$5.00.

Flano Covers suitable for finest use, \$2.50 to \$5.00.

Pure linen, full bleached sheets, \$5.00 pair; cases, first quality \$1.50
pair.

Cases embroidered in exclusive designs, \$2.50 to \$5.00 pair.

Towels, damask or huck, 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 each.

All goods of 50c value and over in Christmas boxes.

Note—Extra Special

Wednesday Thursday

59c Box of 6 Kerchiefs

Value 15c; quality, pure linen;
dainty initials; if your letter is B, C,
F, G, H, K, L, M, N, P, S, T, come
early. That part of the alphabet dis-
appears first.

39c for 50c Phoenix Mufflers

Sizes 12 to 14 for women and child-
ren; select black, white, blue or grey
and save 11 cents.

Crochet Bed Spreads

Different designs, in hemmed, white
spreads. Items like this should get
your immediate attention.

For \$2.00 Values pay \$1.65

For \$1.50 Values Pay \$1.25

For \$1.35 Values Pay \$1.10

For Your "Dearest" Friend—Leathers

Particularly Bags

In a Host of Styles—For Less.

The term "leathers" is applied to the bags
women carry shopping, in this instance. In our stock
is a world of things nice to own, fine to give.

And the choice in each sub-division of the stocks
offers almost an "embarrassment of riches"—or
would, except that one has but to see the assortments
to be able to quickly pick a gift to meet the thought.

Black Hand Bags with plain or fancy mounts, from \$1.00 for a
simple affair to \$25 for an imported goat seal bag fitted with toilet
articles.

\$5.00 good size, black leather hand bags lined with red, tan and
black leather, fitted with toilet articles; others with coin purses. Gen-
uine worth considered—\$1.00 under value.

Better grades at \$6, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$10 and to \$15 with gold or silver
mountings. Imported Bags, at \$15, \$20 and \$25. Leather Bags, at
\$1.50, \$2, \$2.50, \$3 and \$5.00 that look about twice their value; some
leather lined, others fitted with toilet articles.

Cowhide Suit Cases, solid leather, cloth lined and abundantly fitted
with flaps and straps, real value \$6.50, special \$5.00.

Fun and Noise, and Marvelous Toys, In the Toy Store Today

and eager youngsters by the score jumping
up and down in their excitement. The big,
humming, buzzing basement store is fascinat-
ing to little ones and those of the grown-ups
who have not grown-up at all. Some of the
mechanical toys are wonderful. Merry-go-
rounds and dancing sailors, motor cars and
electric, engines and railroad systems, geese
and gun boats and scores of other contrivances
all worth seeing.

GAMES
Himalo 50c
Lotto 25c and 50c
Angarans 10c
Buster Brown Tie Games 15c
Mugilant's Box 65c
ROLLY, POLY FELLOWS
WHOM YOU CAN'T UPSET.
Little Nemo
Policeman
Punny Clowns
Happy Locusts
50c, 75c, 90c, \$1.00
Humpty Dumpty Circus \$1.50
Spinning Tops 5c to 25c
Electric Cars \$2.75
Electric Railroad \$1.25
Electric Street Cars \$1.00
R. R. Trains 35c to 50c
and all prices above to sev-
eral dollars.



Gold Filled and Plated Jewelry For Gifts

A wonderfully varied collection of new
and effective jewelry of the popular, inexpen-
sive gold filled and gold plated sorts, with
mock jems. Remember, such articles as we
sell are at department store prices and about
33 1/3 to 50 per cent. less than the same in ex-
clusive jewelry stores.

These exclusive novelties,
bought direct from manufac-
turers enable us to place lit-
tle prices that barely cover
cost of material. More than
that these articles are decid-
edly different from that
shown in other stores.

Hat Pins 25c, 50c, \$1, \$1.50,
\$2 to \$4.

Belt Pins 25c, 50c, \$1, \$1.25

Beauty Pins 10c, 25c, 50c pair

Watch Pins 10c, \$1.50, \$3, \$4, \$5,
\$7.50, \$10 to \$13.50.

Back Combs and Barrettes,
25c, 50c, \$1, \$1.50 to \$4.

Necklaces, .. 25c, 50c, \$1.00

Pendants \$1 and to \$2.50

Men's Jewelry

Stick Pins, 25c, 50c, 75c and
to \$1.50.

Cuffs Links 25c, 50c to \$2.50

NOT JEWELRY BUT
GOLD AND SILVER
EMBELLISHED
HANDLE
UMBRELLAS.

If you don't care a rap
about the artistic handles the
tops of these umbrellas are
warranted to keep out the
rain, but if it's the beauty of
handle you want, especially
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body in a smoking jacket, a pipe stem be-
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William H. Johnson, a veteran B & O engineer, has driven the train for probably his last time. He has been in the service of the railroad on account of a slight illness and during the coming April will be placed on the retirement list. He has been a train conductor with a pension stipulation to keep the wait from the doctor during the balance of his days, says Johnson.

Mr. Johnson, if he lives until the seventh day of next April, will be 67 years old. His last railroad assignment was with the Railroad Company as a fireman and engineer since 1861, or forty-nine years. In cohorts of service with the railroad, he has known any engineer running on the B & O system, west of Cumberland. It is doubtful if there is another engineer in the country who has been in the service as long. His retirement removes from the railroad train service one of its most picturesque characters.

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warm from heart to heart;
Every stroke the story tells, every chiming
proclaims its part,
Proceeding low and close in doubt,
Sternly chilling those about
To love heart.

Oh, the bells, like living wells, throbbing
with the life they bear,
Softly telling the story tell, eager for the
world to share
Thrilling hearts that have grown cold,
Pleading with the young and old
Everywhere.

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Gladness comes with a better understanding of the transient nature of the human physical life which vanishes before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—richly directed and assisted by the pleasant laxative remedy Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna.

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Miss Dawes was plainly disappointed.

"I wish we knew more," she said. "Who was on this ship with Mr. Thayer, and who sent the news of his death home?"

"Oh, I can tell you that," said Asaph. "There was some one here out there, a quick fellow, got cold and went off in no time. Both remembered that much, though he couldn't remember the doctor's name. He said if I wanted to learn more about the Thayers I might go see— Humph, well, never mind that. 'Twas just foolishness, anyhow."

But Phoebe persisted.

"To see who?" she asked—"some one you know, a friend of yours?"

Asaph turned red.

"Friend of mine?" he snarled. "No, sir, she ain't no friend of mine, I'm thankful to say—more a friend of Bailey's here, if she's anybody's one of his pet, she was, for a spell; a patient of his, you might say—anyhow, he prescribed for her. 'Twas that deaf idiot, Debby Hensley, Cy; that's who 'twas. Her name was Hensley afore she married Hensley, and she was hired help for Emily Thayer when Mary was born and until John died."

Captain Cy burst into a roar of laughter. Bailey sprang out of his chair.

"Debby Hensley?" he stammered.

"She was that deaf housekeeper Bailey hired for me, teacher," explained the captain. "I've told you about her. Ho, ho! So that's the end of the mystery hunt!"

We go around for Hensley Atkins, and we bring down Debby! Well, Asa, go to see the old lady."

Mr. Atkins's report was emphatic.

"Goin' to see her?" he repeated. "I guess not! Golly, she's deaf. I told you, says I. I've had all the Debby Hensley I want, and I callate Cy Whittaker feels the same way. Go to see her! I wouldn't go to see her if she was up in paradise a-hollerin' for me."

CHAPTER XV.

MR. BANGS and the schoolmaster as if it was the most casual thing in the world, "I want to borrow your husband tomorrow. I want him all day, too, because I'm thinking of driving over to Trumet, and I need a coachman. You'll go, won't you, Mr. Bangs?"

Bailey, who had been considering the advisability of asking for a second cup of tea, brightened up and looked pleased.

"Why, yes," he answered, "I'll go."

Mrs. Clipp ventured a timid question concerning the teacher's errand at Trumet. The reply being noncommittal, the widow cheerfully prophesied that she guessed 'twas going to rain or snow next day. "It's about time for the blue storm," she added.

But it did not storm, although a brisk cold gale was blowing when after breakfast next morning the "horse and team," with Bailey in his Sunday suit and overcoat and Miss Dawes on the buggy seat beside him, turned out of the boarding house yard and started on the twelve mile journey to Trumet.

In Trumet Center, which is not much of a center, Miss Dawes alighted from the buggy and entered a building bearing a sign with the words "Metropolitan Variety Store, Joshua Atwood, Prop'r, Groceries, Coal, Dry Goods, Insurance, Hooks and Shavers, Garden Seeds, Etc." A smaller sign beneath this was lettered "Justice of the Peace" and one below that read "Post-office."

She emerged a moment later, fol-

WHITTAKER'S PLACE

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loved by an elderly person in a red cardigan jacket and overalls.

"Take the first turnin' to the left, mornin'," he said, peering. "It's pretty much the same as the first turnin'."

"Hello, Josh!" greeted Mr. Bangs, adding an explanatory aside to the effect that he knew Josh Atwood, the latter having once lived in Bayport.

"But, any," he asked as they moved on once more, "have we got to go to Trumet? Jerusky! That's the place where the wind comes from. They raise it over there. Anyhow, they don't raise much else. Whose house you goin' to?"

He had asked the same question at least ten times since leaving home, and each time Miss Dawes had evaded it. She did so now, saying that she was sure she should know the house when they got to it.

The two miles to East Trumet were worse than the twelve which they had come. The wind fairly shrieked here, for the road paralleled the edge of high sand bluffs close by the shore, and the ruts and "thank-you-marms" were trying to the temper. Bailey's was completely wrecked.

"Teacher," he snarled as they reached the crest of a long hill and a quick grab at his hat alone prevented its starting on a balloon ascension. "Get out a spell, will you? I've got to swear or bust, and long's you're aboard I can't swear. What you standin' still for, you?" he bellowed at poor Henry, the horse, which had stopped to rest.

"I callate the critter thinks that last cyclone must have blowed me sky high, and he's waitin' to see where I light. Git daps!"

"I guess I shall get out very soon now," panted Phoebe. "There's the blacksmith shop over there near the next hill, and this house in the hollow must be the one I'm looking for."

They pulled up beside the house in the hollow. A little story and a half house it was, and, judging by the neglected appearance of the weeds and bushes in the yard, it had been unoccupied for some time. However, the blinds were now open, and a few towels about the back door seemed to promise that some one was living there. The wooden letter box by the gate had a name stenciled upon it. Miss Dawes sprang from the buggy and looked at the box.

"Yes," she said, "this is the place. Will you come in, Mr. Bangs? You can put your horse in that barn, I'm sure, if you want to."

But Bailey declined to go. He declared he was going on to the blacksmith's shop to have that wheel fixed. He would not feel safe to start for home with it as it was. He drove off, and Miss Dawes, knowing from life-long experience that front doors are merely for show, passed around the main body of the house and rapped on the door in the ell. The rap was not answered, though she could hear some one moving about within and a shrill voice singing "The Sweet By and By."

So she rapped again and again, but still no one came to the door. At last she ventured to open it.

A thin woman with her head tied up in a colored cotton handkerchief was in the room, vigorously wielding a broom. She was singing in a high cracked voice. The opening of the door let in a gust of cold wind, which struck the singer in the back of the neck and caused her to turn around hastily.

"Heg!" she exclaimed. "Land salt! You scare a body to death! Shut that door quick! I ain't hankerin' for influenza. Who are you? What do you want? Why didn't you knock? Where's my specs?"

She took a pair of spectacles from the mantelpiece and set them on the bridge of her thin nose.

"I beg pardon for coming in!" she said.

ed Phoebe. "You are Mrs. Hensley, aren't you?"

"I don't want none," replied Debby, with emphasis. "So there's no use your wastin' your breath."

After some strenuous minutes the visitor managed to make it clear to Mrs. Hensley's mind that she was not a peddler. She tried to add a word of further explanation, but it was effort wasted.

"That's no use!" snapped Debby. "I can't hear you, you speak so faint. Wait till I get my horn. It's in the settin' room."

Phoebe's wonder as to what the "horn" might be was relieved by the bell-shaped and under the teacher's nose.

"Talk into that. If you ain't a peddler, what be you—sewin' machine agent?"

Phoebe explained that she had come some distance on purpose to see Mrs. Hensley. She was interested in the Thayers, who used to live in O'Cham, particularly in Mr. John Thayer, who died in 1851. She had been told that Debby formerly lived with the Thayers and could no doubt remember a great deal about them.

Mrs. Hensley, her hearing now within forty-five degrees of the normal, grew interested. She wheeled her visitor into the adjoining room and proffered her a chair.

"What you so interested in the Thayers for?" inquired Debby. "One of the heirs, be you? They didn't leave nothin'."

No, the schoolmistress was not an heir, was not even a relative of the family. But she was interested in the same. A friend of hers was a relative and—

"What is your friend?" inquired the inquisitor—"a man?"

There was no reason why Miss Dawes should have changed color, but, according to Debby's subsequent testimony, she did; she blushed, so the widow declared.

"No," she protested. "Oh, no! It's a—she's a child, that's all—a little girl."

Mrs. Hensley remembered many things, but nothing at all concerning John Thayer's life in the west.

"He never wrote home but once or twice afore he died," she said, "and when he did write, his wife never told me what was in his letters. She always burnt 'em. I guess. I used to hunt around for 'em when she was out, but she burnt 'em to spite me. I callate. Her and me didn't get along too well. She said I talked too much to other folks about what was none of their business. Now, anybody that knows me knows that ain't one of my failin's. I told her so; says I."

And so on for ten minutes. Then Phoebe ventured to repeat the words "out west," and her companion went off on a new tack. She had just been west herself. She had been on a visit to her husband's niece, who lived in Arizona—in Flagston, Ark. "It's the nicest town ever you see," she continued, "and the smartest, most up to date place. Talk about the west being uncivilized! My land, you ought to see that town—electric lights and telephones and—and—I don't know what all!"

This was but the beginning. It was evident that Mrs. Hensley had thoroughly enjoyed herself in Flagston and that the sorrows of the bereaved Debby Higgins had been one of the principal sorrows of that enjoyment. The schoolmistress endeavored to turn the subject, but it was useless.

"I fetched home a whole pile of them newspapers," continued Debby. "They was awful interestin', full of pictures of Flagston buildin's and leadin' folks and all. And in some of the back numbers was the advertisement about Mr. Higgins. I do wish I could show 'em to you, but I lent 'em to Mrs. Atwood, up to the Center. If 'twant such a way I'd go and fetch 'em. Mrs. Atwood's been awful nice to me. She took care of my trunks and things when I went west—yes, and afore that when I went to Bayport to keep house for that miserable Cap'n Whittaker. I ain't told you about that, but I will by and by. Them trunks had lots of things in 'em that I didn't want to lose or have anybody see. My diaries—I've kept a diary since 1850—and—"

"Diaries?" interrupted Phoebe, grasping at straws. "Did you keep a diary while you were at the Thayers?"

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"Yes. Now, why didn't I think of that afore? More 'n likely there'd be somethin' in that to help you with that geographical tree. I used to put down everything that happened and—Where you goin'?"

Miss Dawes had risen and was peering out of the window.

"I was looking to see if my driver was anywhere about," she replied. "I thought perhaps he would drive over to Mrs. Atwood's and get the diary for you. But I don't see him."

Just then, from around the corner of the house, peeped an agitated face; an agitated forefinger beckoned. Debby stepped to the window beside her visitor, and the face and finger went out of sight as it pulled by a string.

Miss Phoebe smiled.

"I think I'll go out and look for him," she said. "He must be near here. I'll be right back, Mrs. Hensley."

Without stopping to put on her jacket, she hurried through the dining room, out of the door and around the corner. There she found Mr. Bangs in a highly nervous state.

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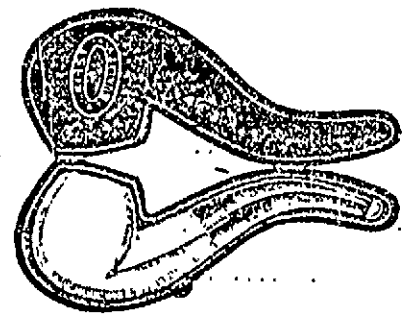
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\$10.00 SCOTCH MIXTURE COATS.....

\$5.00

Coats that defy competition at \$10, \$12, or \$15, from which prices they have dropped to \$5 for this special Xmas sale. Only a few of a kind, but all wonderful values. Charming, dressy styles and ultra modish mixtures that defy zero weather, all of beautiful quality, affording warmth without weight.

Women's \$25, \$29, \$33, \$37 and \$12.50 up to \$45 Suits at \$12.50

150 Suits—A New York maker's overstock—lot includes models embracing Spring ideas—high class tailoring and trimmings. Short coats lined with guaranteed satin or peau-de-eygne. Skirts just full enough for easy walking—all go on sale at \$12.50 for your choice.

Sample Silk Waists \$2.46

Fine messaline and chiffon taffetas—fancy ones with yokes and braid trimmings, tailored ones with pleated fronts, etc.; sizes 32 to 44—\$5, \$6 and \$7 waists at...\$2.46

\$10.98 100 more of these \$18, \$21 and \$24 Plain or Tailor-made Coats, in broadcloth, cheviot, English twill, etc. \$10.98

—plain or fancy colors—semi-fitting or loose—sizes 34 to 44—choice at \$10.98.

\$1.50 White Lawn Waists 79c

A limited lot of white lawn Waists, embroidered fronts, at 79c; all sizes.

\$1.50 Petticoats 79c

Of black princess cloth or sateen, tucked or flared flounce, 79c.

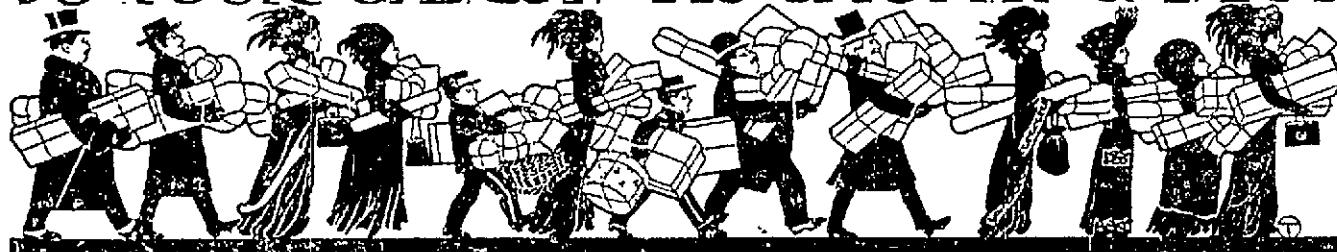
38c for 50c long and short gray or white striped flannel; scalloped ruffle.

2 Yards Long Silk Scarfs 37c

You wouldn't expect to buy the lovely silk (two full yards, remember), much under 75c, and here they are all made up, hemstitched and ready to present, for just about HALF this much. Not only are they great bargains, but can you think of anything that will be more useful than one of these same Evening Scarfs, for head or shoulders. Full line of colors.

\$1.50 SCARFS, 88c.

DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING EARLY



Fine Wool Blankets

\$5 and \$6 Ones \$3.75.

The last of the big lot of the special purchase that we put on sale this week, and you'll get a pair for your bed before they're gone, if you know the knock of OPPORTUNITY at your door. All fine, big FOUR AND FIVE-POUND blankets, of pure wool—thoroughly scoured and shrunken—largest 11-4 and 12-4 size. The greatest blanket value we ever offered our customers.

RHINESTONE HAT PINS.
Glittering in their brilliancy, these pins will find plenty of admirers.
25c ones19c
50c ones39c
\$1.00 ones79c
\$1.50 ones\$1.10
\$2.00 ones\$1.29

ALL FURS ONE-FOURTH OFF
Plainly Marked Prices. That Means
All \$2.00 Fur Sets.....\$1.50
All \$4.00 Fur Sets.....\$3.00
All \$6.00 Fur Sets.....\$4.50
All \$8.00 Fur Sets.....\$6.00
All \$10.00 Fur Sets.....\$7.50
All \$12.00 Fur Sets.....\$9.00

HANDKERCHIEFS SELLING FAST.

5c ones3 for 10c
10c ones7½c
15c ones10c
25c ones19c
Children's 5c ones2 for 5c

SPECIAL VALUES IN HOSIERY.

19c Bicycle Hose, pair.....12½c
19c Woolen Sox, pair.....12½c
25c Woolen Sox, pair.....19c
15c Ladies' Fleece Hose, pair.....11c
All 50c Hose, pair.....39c

Specials!

\$1.25 yard wide guaranteed Taffeta Silk, yard79c
Ladies' 25c Ties19c
Men's 25c Ties19c
Ladies' 50c Ties39c
Men's 50c Ties39c

Extra Special!

\$5.00 Children's Serge Dresses
\$2.98
\$1.50 Messaline, \$1.50 Taffeta, full yard wide\$1.10
50c Phoenix Mufflers37c

LACE CURTAINS--You Don't See Any Such Values Advertised by Any Other Store Today.

Only at This Time of the Year Can You Buy Lace Curtains at These Prices, and Then Only at This Store.
1,500 Pairs of Lace Curtains—\$2.00 Ones 98c Pair.
No mail orders. None C. O. D. Limit 4 pairs to a purchaser.
FREE—A Curtain Pole, complete, with fixtures ready to hang, with every pair of curtains in this sale, at \$1 or over.
98c for \$1.50 Nottingham Lace Curtains Good width; worth \$1.50 pair.
\$1.25 for \$2.50 Real Scotch Lace Curtains.
In Renaissance and Irish Point designs, extra long threads and over locked stitched edges, 50 and 60 inches wide and 3½ yards long.

The Purchasing Power of 79c

\$1.50 Underskirts.....79c
\$1.50 Children's Dresses.....79c
\$1.50 Wrappers.....79c
\$1.50 Shirt Waists.....79c
\$1.25 Men's Flannel Shirts.....79c

If the particular thing you need isn't in our advertisement, don't conclude that it isn't in the store. The advertising is small and narrow compared to the scope and magnitude of the business it represents. Newspaper space and its cost have limitations that must be respected. Were we to print all the values now current here, you'd probably not read, and the expense of doing so would change our prices. Therefore we give you a hint here and there and ask you to remember that thousands of other offerings equally attractive abound.

Willow Plumes

National Plumes represent quality at prices unequalled anywhere. You pay less and get more. Call and be convinced.

19-inch, regular \$11.00...\$5.49
21-inch, regular \$14.50...\$6.95
23-inch, regular \$18.00...\$8.75

Specials!

25c Toques19c
50c Toques39c
25c Gloves19c
\$4.00 and \$4.50 Grades Children's Bearskin Coats...\$2.25

Extra Special!

A small lot of Peter Thompson Dresses, one and two piece style, \$18.00 and \$20.00 values,

\$8.75

Come in blue and black only.
\$5.00 Silk Underskirts...\$2.98
\$7.50 Silk Underskirts...\$3.98

Christmas Hand Bags

More Handbags this year than you ever saw in one store in your whole life. Handbags of every conceivable shape and leather. Handbags that are plain as well as those arrayed with various compartments and equipments.

\$2.50 Solid Leather Handbags, German Silver embossed frame\$1.50
\$3.50 genuine Seal Leather and Snake Skin Handbags, made with overlapping or silver frame, at\$2.50
75c ones at 37c. \$1.50 ones at 88c.

Give "Her" a Sweater

For Women\$1.10 to \$3.98
For Children39c to \$1.10

Women's \$5 Sweaters—Knit in fancy stitch of selected Saxony yarn; hard twisted for wear; double-breasted; V neck; with pockets; cardinal, white and grey; rich colors, obtainable only in fine wool yarns; splendid \$5 values\$3.50

Women's All-Wool Sweaters—Knit in fancy rib or cardigan stitch; V neck or roll collar; sweaters made to sell at \$3.00; Xmas special\$1.98

Greatest of All Glove Sales

A Windfall of Luck for Xmas Buyers! Continuation of Offer of Women's High Grade \$1.50 and \$2 Short Kid Gloves.....**79c**

\$2 black and tan gamlets; \$3 chamois gloves, 16-button length; \$1.50 wide embroidered gloves; \$1.50 spear buck tan moushish gloves. All sizes—every pair guaranteed.

Choice of any and all—every size. Every pair beautifully boxed.....79c
\$3.50 quality Women's 16-button kid gloves, fresh, clean goods, soft, pliable skins; black, white or tan, pair.....\$1.98

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